



The Weekly Newsletter of Sydney Boys High School

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From the Principal High Talent

Congratulations to our U15 team for winning



the CHS Knockout Competition in Terrigal last week. The team comprised: Kwabena Brefo, Eoin Fitz-Gerald, Adam Gordon, Kristian Lisica, Agustin Palais,

Ratchapak Prekpanarut, Mitchell Sawyer, Akash Sreekumar, Joshua Xie and Alex Zhou. The team was reduced to eight players in the last stages of the tournament but showed grit and hung in as a group to secure the win. Well done to their coach, Ben Hayman.

High's Award for Professional Development Last week the Australian College of Educators honoured our PLE Program with the Alan Laughlin Award for outstanding leadership of the Professional Learners Exchange Program. The quality of professional learning at High has been recognised by our colleagues. Framed certificates were presented to Rachel Powell, Madeleine Rigby, Cassandra Pride, James Rudd and me. The hard work of our group over at least a decade has been recognised by one of the two peak professional associations for teachers. It has been a pleasure for me to be involved with the program and watch it evolve. I want to thank Rachel for leading the team with such enthusiasm in recent years.

Caught Doing the Right Thing

A member of the public contacted the school to thank Ramon Zhang (9F) for his ethical behaviour on public transport last week. Ramon found a mobile phone on a bus seat and handed it to the driver. The owner later retrieved it from the depot. Well done, Ramon, your actions make us all proud and enhance the reputation of the school.

The High Life – Student Magazine



The first edition of *The High Life* was published this week. I want to thank the editor, Jaspar McCahon–Boersma, for his vision and drive. He gathered a good group of contributors to get the first

edition up and running. It is an eclectic mix of artworks, photography, illustrations, a cartoon and an opinion piece. I want to thank the contributors for their courage in sharing their creativity with their peers. Ms Jollie was the staff mentor who made the representations on the boys' behalf to get the project going. I thank her for her input. Student magazines are a barometer of the creative culture of a school. I do hope that this initiative doesn't prove to be a one-time production. Boys with something creative to share should make sure that this project flourishes into the future.

Electives Restrictions for Year 10

Students make an initial free choice with their electives. They are also asked to rank their choices so that if they do not get one, they will be considered for the next ranked choice. Many boys have shown interest in robotics, code-based game development and the online learning elective. Many others have aspired to accelerate in a particular subject. For robotics and game development, Ms Dam culls applicants based on their demonstrated mathematics proficiency and previous interest in IA subjects. Mr Cipolla has been asked to choose the 30 best autonomous learners with advanced computer skills for his OLE. I cull the accelerant applicants. The criteria are academic in nature. Students have to be above average across their subjects at the Year 9 yearly examinations. They have to have a HD or D in the subject area they wish to accelerate in. They have to be in the top 100 in the rank order. On rare occasions, highly talented students in just one subject area may be considered if they fall within a few places of the cut-off rank. Year 10 electives are designed for students to branch out and test their interests before settling into stage 6 study. Students need to choose carefully.

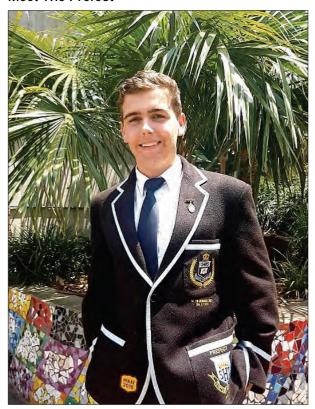
Student Leave Requests

Too many parents are ignoring or pleading ignorance about the school policy on Student Leave of Absence – Extended Leave Travel requests. This applies to leave that is five school days or more in duration. Parents are reminded that as a matter of policy leave will not be processed or approved unless four weeks' notice has been given. Also, cogent reasons for travelling during school term need to be supplied. The effect of this decision is

that all leave requests that involve the last four weeks of term must be lodged with me for approval by the end of **Week 6**, each term. If you are planning to travel during the school term you need to download, complete and submit the form for my approval by the closing date. As it is now Week 5, I am writing to inform you that I am going to apply the rule quite strictly as from Week 7.

Dr K A Jaggar Principal

Meet The Prefect



When I was first accepted to Sydney High, I didn't know much about the school except that it was for 'smart kids'. Over the last five years, I have come to realise that the school is so much more than that, promoting not only academics but also producing well rounded young men. Through GPS sport, community service and a competitive environment, the school moulds students to ensure they are ready for the real world. So inevitably, it disappoints me when I tell people that I go to Sydney Boys High, I am always greeted with the same response.

"Oh. You must be pretty smart then?"

Why is this the school's defining feature? Is this the only thing people think of when they hear the words "Sydney Boys High"? We compete in the GPS and have an outstanding sports program, we win multiple debating awards every year and we are the oldest state high school in NSW. Our school has produced countless eminent people, including sportsmen, doctors, actors, politicians

and businessmen, yet academics seems to be our only defining feature?

I decided, back in Year 7, that it would be my mission to do as much as possible to change this perception about the school. I have participated in the rowing program for six seasons now and have worked tirelessly to earn a spot in the school 1st VIII, and as vice-captain of boats. Every season I have taken to the rugby field, and volunteer in fundraising events and help charities whenever I can. Last year I became SRC President and organised the most successful trivia night we have ever seen, with all profit going back into the school. And now for my final year and as a prefect, I will continue to do everything I can to represent the school and show everyone I meet what the school really stands for.

Next time you see a Sydney High student, take a moment and think. He is more than someone who just did well in the selective test. He is a well-rounded person who strives to be the best person he can. A true scholar sportsman. Jack Ralph

Prefect Intern - OBU/Foundation, Bear Pit

English Text Books

As we come to the end of the assessment blocks for years 7-11, we would really appreciate your help in encouraging your sons to return text books promptly so that we can carry out our stocktake and replenish books in readiness for 2018. We are also grateful for the return of any texts that may have been overlooked from past years, stamped with Sydney Boys High. Thank you in advance for your help.

Year 9 Students Senior Uniform 2018

Purchase your senior uniform NOW to avoid long queues.
Senior Tie \$29.50
Senior Trousers \$75
Short Sleeve White Shirt 14-22 \$29, 24-28 \$31

Long Sleeve White Shirt 14-22 \$31, 24-28 \$33.

Cricket Academy Training Shirt

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High Store





From the Canteen

High Canteen is privileged to have committed volunteers who not only ensure smooth daily operations but also readily fill in gaps as required. Our particular thanks to parents of 2017 Year 12 cohort, who continue to help although their boys have completed HSC. We appreciate the ongoing commitment over the last six years.

We would like to acknowledge the following helpers for the last two weeks:

MON: Shannon Hickey, Romona Ren, Sharon Chung,

TUE: Judy Zhu, Carol Huang, Phan Nguyen, WED: Jenny Chiu, Faidha Razmi, Joanne Wong, THUR: Si A He, Xing Ping Zhang, Pit Trent, Olexandra Putilina, Penny Chan FRI:



The canteen committee will be holding its AGM in the board room at 2.30pm on Friday 17 November and not on 10th as previously mentioned. All are welcome. Please consider joining the committee.

We would also like to invite cricket families to help prepare daily lunches during Barberis Cup (Nov 20-22) & Five Highs Cricket Carnival (Dec 4-8). SBHS will play host to visiting teams from Perth, Adelaide, Melbourne &

Brisbane. If you have a few hours to spare from 8.30 - 11.30am, please speak to Karen or Tracey on 9662 9350. We need a minimum of 3 volunteers each day. Many hands make light work!! Usha Arvind

President Canteen Committee





Parent Volunteers Needed

Sydney Boys High School Orientation Day

Tuesday 21 November 2017 12:30 to 3:30 pm

Please come and help the P & C to welcome prospective parents to the School.

We need volunteer parents to help serve afternoon tea and welcoming our new parents and students.

It will be an enjoyable afternoon and all you need to bring is your friendly smile.

Please contact Stephanie Fung

via email funstep@gmail.com

or

0430 091 116

or

wechat (id: funstep)

if you can help

⊕ Thank you
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High P&C Annual General Meeting NEXT MONDAY 13 November 2017 6.30pm Staff Common Room

The P&C AGM is coming up – all members of the school community are encouraged to attend. Annual reports will be provided by the President and the Treasurer, before all P&C positions are declared vacant.

Elections will then be held for all offices: President, Vice President (2), Treasurer, Secretary, and Committee Members (7). P&C representatives on the following bodies will also be elected or nominated: School Council, Sports Council, High Foundation, Governors Centre Limited, Wellbeing Committee, Library Committee. Coordinators for P&C catering and parking will be nominated, as well as a Facebook Administrator.

The P&C needs your help – there is lots to do!

If you would like to nominate for one of the above roles, or would like to find out more, please email sbhs.pandc@gmail.com. We still need a nominee for President, Sports Council Representative and Parking Coordinator. We would love to hear from you!

The AGM will be followed by a General Meeting where Joanna Chan (Head Teacher – Wellbeing) will speak on Wellbeing at Sydney Boys High. She will address:

- The Wellbeing team at Sydney Boys High School and their roles.
- The Wellbeing referral flowchart
- The Wellbeing programs at High
- Common Wellbeing issues at High

Hopefully, through this session, parents will have a better understanding of student Wellbeing at High and, how the school and parents can work in partnership for the quality of students' life at school.

All are welcome to attend both meetings.

Love Your Library From The Junior Library



Congratulations Sydney Boys High 2017 Premier's Reading Challenge Participants



This year Sydney Boys High entered a record number of Challengers. Congratulations to the following great readers who are now receiving the Premier's Certificates and

Medals from Mr Cinquetti Head Teacher of English for their efforts during the English Wide Reading Program which expects students to borrow our paper books and eBooks funded by parent Library Fund donation. Every boy in this Challenge had to read 20 listed books in this school year.

Premier's Reading Challenge Certificates are awarded to:

- Jack Yoon 7R, Ryan Lee 8E, Antoine Nguyen 8M, Apoorv Verma 8R, Lawrence D'Mello 9T, Joseph Anton 9S, Abdullah Khan 9S, Joshua Lam 9F, Adrian Leong 9F, Stephen Meng 9S, Humzah Mohamed 9S, Mridul Pant 9F, Danny Tran 9M, Aryan Verma 9S, Terry Zhai 9M, Nathaniel Andrews 7M, Daniel Ang-Lazarevski 7T, Justin Bu 7F, Joshua Chan 7T, 7M, Isaac Cheer 7S, Tahmid Choudhury 7E, Albert Giles 7E, Samuel Kim 7S, Matthew Kirkland 7R, Martin Lee 7E, Yu Ming Lee 7T, Vince Li 7E, Alvin (Junlong) Liu 7S, Austin Liu 7R, Adrian Lu 7E, Danny Pan 7T, Rvan (Yanlin) Qiu 7F. Andrew Ren 7E. Kevin Wu 7E. Jack Yoon 7M, Ryan Lee 8E, Antoine Nguyen 8M, Ajay Verma 8R, Lawrence D'Mello 9T, Anton Joseph 9F, Abdullah Khan 9S, Joshua Lam 9F, Adrian Leong 9F, Stephen Meng 9S, Humzah Mohamed 9E, Mridul Pant 9F, Danny Tran 9M, Aryan Verma 9S, Terry Zhai 9M,
- Platinum Awards are awarded to Declan Wong (7 years participation), Duy Ngo (7 years participation), Ethan Kang (7 years participation) Hanoof Makkeen (7 years participation), Jarif Asad (7 years participation), Joshua Suto (7 years participation) Kevin Chen (7 years participation), Shreyas Chatterjee (7 years participation), Thomas Britton (7 years participation)
- Gold Awards are awarded to Ellis Kha (4 years participation), Mithilesh Lekhi (4 years participation), Rakshu Karthikeyan (4 years participation), Ryan Ong (4 years participation) Tony Pham (4 years participation), Yilei Shao (4 years participation)
- Special Medals are awarded to the 9/10 year participants (lifelong) and those amazing readers and participants are: Tamid Choudhury 7M, Joshua Lam 9M, Stephen Meng 9M, Ajay Verma 8M and

Aryan Verma 9M, Danny Tran 9M

Reading In The Junior Library In This Reporting Period

School resource borrowing – e resource and paper resource - (a reading and self-education indicator) is going onto English Wide Reading Reports for the second time in our school history this semester. The aim of the Junior Librarian in doing this is to raise the profile of reading so that writing Literacy can also improve with this fun method of modelling and practising of our language. Thanks to the support of the English Wide Reading teachers and to actually recognising the good readers on reports, reading results have shown a significant improvement from those reported in first six months of this year. Oliver and Wheelers e book transactions in first semester January to mid May totalled 1797 and Olivers and Wheelers transaction from May to October totalled **3612**. So putting reading on reports is demonstrably a successful project for any librarian to undertake.

Boys who received *Excellent* as a Reading Report comment borrowed between 6 and approx. 60 school library resources this semester. Boys who received *Very Good* borrowed 5-6 library resources this semester. Boys who received *Good* borrowed 2-4 library resources this semester. Boys who received *Satisfactory* borrowed 1 library resource this semester. Boys who received *Needs to improve* sat and read happily in their Wide Reading Class but did not borrow either an eBook or a paper based book. Please praise your son for his good reading if applicable.

Recognition Appears To Be The Key To Student Motivation

Our IT teachers and IT staff conducted a very informative in-service last Friday on why students find games so addictive and it was suggested that games could give teachers some good strategies for teaching. The most important key to game success is recognition of individual player success. The Premiers' Reading Challenge and now our library's reading reports also demonstrate the success of recognition for achievement. So when the boys do well it pays off to tell them how proud they have made us.

Library VIP Reading Awards

The really good readers in our school are not necessarily boys who participate in the Premier's Reading Challenge. Many of them read well over 20 books. They are the boys who receive SBHS Reading Certificates. These Certificates tell parents exactly how many school resources their son borrowed in this school year to date. Now that I have report data finalised I can recognise our really incredible readers. So parents look out for an email from me and your son's VIP Certificate which will arrive in the next few weeks. The really incredible readers are showing us just how special they are.

SHOOTIN 221 HOOTIN

Hello again! Welcome to another edition of Shootin' Hoops. Quite a successful week for High: The four opens teams who played all had wins, with Oscar Dumas in Firsts having 27.5 PER! 16s are once again stepping up and proving they can play, 15s are continuing to improve and even picking up 2 wins, and 14s are slowly whittling away at their loss margins. It's important to remember however, that Scots had many players away on a camp, and were not at full strength. Make sure to step it up at all training sessions so High can be ready to win next time around regardless.



Last week the 15s CHS team competed in the top 8 NSW teams for a shot at the State title. The team went up against teams from all over, and Wednesday saw them dominating Bonnyrigg in the pool matches, but taking a tough loss against Hunter Sports. However the team bounced back against Byron Bay, and at the end of the day were 2-1 and making it to the top 4. On Thursday they played the first-place team from the other pool, Westfields Sports, but were able to make it through by exploiting the opposition's lack of height. This meant they would end up play Alexandria Park in the final, who upset Hunter in their Semis match. High had beat Alexandria Park in a

previous carnival day, and did so again this time, claiming the State title. Another banner to decorate the gym! Well done to the boys for their great effort, Mr Hayman, for excellent coaching, parents for coming along to support and finally Bruce, who made the effort to wake up at 6 and go support the team on the final day!



NSW Representative Basketball teams are currently holding trials all around Sydney. Good luck to all players trialling. It's a bit late to sign up now, but there are many students who have the talent and ability to make it into any of these teams. Players in As and Bs should definitely be trialling next time.

That's all for this week. This weekend's opposition: Grammar. We definitely want to win this. Be sure to keep training hard so we can get ready to Hammer Grammar this weekend. Play Hard, Play Smart, Play Together. See the following page for the results table.

Go HIGH!

Play Hard, Play Smart and Play Together! Thanks to everyone who makes Shootin' Hoops possible Brought to you by Adam Gordon and Alex Zhou

High	Vs	Scots	TERM 4 2016 (Last time)	
TEAM	RESULT	SCORE	TOP SCORER	
1st	WIN RASCHKE CUP	LOSS TO KINGS, WIN VS SCOTS, NEWINGTON AND JOEYS	TEAM EFFORT	
2nd	2ND IN YEEND SHIELD	LOSS TO TSC, WIN VS GRAMMAR & SHORE	TEAM EFFORT	
3rd	WIN	45-32	S.LI 16	
4th	LOSS	28-31	J.YE 11	
5th	LOSS	23-35		
6th	WIN	47-25	J.LEK 12	
7th	WIN	34-20	Y.SHEN 12	
8th	LOSS	9-21	TEAM EFFORT	
9th	WIN	30-29	C.SO 9	
10th	WIN	29-26	TEAM EFFORT	
16A	WIN	40-30	TEAM DEFENSIVE EFFORT	
16B	WIN	38-28	J.XIAO 8	
16C	WIN	24-22	F.NGUYEN 10	
16D	WIN	25-21	S.BURJU 6	
16E	WIN	33-5	W.DU 18	
16F	DNP	TSC	DOESN'T HAVE AS MANY SIDES AS SBHS	
15A	WIN	40-27	A.GORDON 19, TSC @ CAMP	
15B	LOSS	24-27	A.ZHOU 6	
15C	WIN	34-19	G.WONG 11	
15D	LOSS	22-25	E.GUO 8	
15E	WIN	24-18	A.CULLEN 8	
15F	WIN	21-10	TEAM EFFORT	
14A	LOSS	40-24	A.CHEN 7	
14B	LOSS	18-38	W.CUI 6	
14C	LOSS	9-58	J.LIU 3	
14D	LOSS	18-39	J.HUANG 9	
14E	WIN	40-16	R.LEE 7	
14F	WIN	19-16	L.FANG, V.CHEN 4	

High	Vs	Scots	TERM 4 2017 (This time)	
TEAM	RESULT	SCORE	TOP SCORER	
1st	WIN	68-60	O.DUMAS 27.5 EFFICIENCY	
2nd	WIN	54-32	K.LISICA 12	
3rd	WIN	57-27 T.LAM 13	T.LAM 13	
4th	WIN	34-31	M.NGO 7	
16A	LOSS	24-35	TEAM EFFORT	
16B	WIN	25-24	A.SONG, BIG THREE POINTER FOR THE WIN.	
16C	WIN	39-24	TEAM EFFORT	
16D	WIN	35-16	TEAM EFFORT	
16E	WIN	30-20	TEAM EFFORT	
16F	WIN	30-20	TEAM EFFORT	
15A	LOSS	28-44	B.NGUYEN 8	
15B	LOSS	11-27	V.ZHANG	
15C	LOSS	25-31	A.NG	
15D	LOSS	25-33	J.LIU 16	
15E	WIN	28-18	TEAM EFFORT	
15F	WIN	28-24	T.ZHOU 13	
14A	LOSS	13-45	B.TRAN 6	
14B	LOSS	18-29	J.ROBERTO 9	
14C	LOSS	14-39	J.YAN 8	
14D	LOSS	14-38	A.LIU 7	
14E	LOSS	15-34	I.HUYNH 8	
14F	LOSS	22-42	K.WU 6	



Tennis Update

Unfortunately, rain prevented 1^{st} grade from contesting the top 6 at Kings and 2^{nd} Grade did not play. Most of the other grades were able to get on and complete the majority of the matches verse Scots. It was a great opportunity for our boys to come up against one of the

strongest tennis schools in the GPS. Our boys played well and there were some pleasing results (see below).

This week we play Grammar in our last trial game before the official season commences. The boys are encouraged to keep training hard and enjoy what is shaping to be a competitive season of tennis.

	T-1-184-1-1-1-1W	T-1-1 84-1-111	
	lotal Matches Won	iotal Matches Lost	Winning Percentage
3rd Grade	1	5	17%
4th Grade	5	1	83%
5th Grade	1	1	50%
6th Grade	1	1	50%
7th Grade	2	4	33%
8th Grade	0	6	0%
16 A	3	3	50%
16 B	3	3	50%
16 C	2	4	33%
16 D	3	3	50%
15 A	0	4	0%
15 B	0	3	0%
15 C	0	6	0%
15 D	2	4	33%
14 A	0	6	0%
14 B	2	4	33%
14 C	6	0	100%
14 D	5	1	83%
Total	36	59	38%

Kurt Rich MIC Tennis



Rowing Report - Year 9 Quads

The sun bore down harshly upon our backs as we rowed slowly down the river. Well, at least we had all applied sunscreen. Our hearts were beating in unison like the timing of our strokes. The anticipation was palpable. Then we crossed the start line, and both speed and caution broke loose.

On the last Saturday of October, the Year 9 Quads rowed at the Junior Head of the Parramatta, a 3km race and one of the longest races in the season. Many of our rowers were unused to the conditions and so unfortunately didn't perform optimally. In fact, 2nd Quad slowed down in the last 100 metres due to a misunderstanding! Hopefully, we'll attain more experience for our next set of races.

We started the year with 16 people and three quads. Our training sessions were reorganised by Mr George Barris,

an Old Boy and our new MIC, to be much more time-efficient. The Year 9 Quads are very thankful to Mr Barris for this. Some sessions were at school instead of the rowing sheds, and so were able to save us substantial amounts of time, with training concluding at around 4:30pm. In comparison, last season, the rowers went to the Outterside Centre on Wednesdays and stayed until 6pm!

There are many things to be loved about rowing: the restaurant-quality High Burgers, the camaraderie and esprit de corps, even the banter of asking an unknown crew whether they were from Gryffindor (they were later identified as Scots). With this, I wish our Quads a wonderful and productive season.

Harry Wu Quads Captain



Year 8 Quads learning how to exit the pontoon safely



HIGH SAILING

The High Sailing season is well and truly underway after an excellent day of results in trying conditions. Keen to develop as much experience as possible in the third week of the competitive Fleet Sailing competition, High entered a team of over twenty sailors from Year 7 to 12 across nine boats. The day initially loomed as an uneventful one as the harbour was covered by low wind speeds, but an ominous spike prior to racing set the stage for a tough challenge. Nevertheless, the steadfast attitude displayed by even High's junior crews ensured that our results were incredibly successful. Over the five races encompassing over 40 boats including top teams from Scots and Cranbrook, deft positioning on the start line and raw speed saw High claim numerous top five positions, with Kai Huang and myself gaining firsts, Brian Nguyen claiming a second place, and Ben Kernohan a fourth. With winds perilously high, all crews returned to shore for a well-deserved rest.

The expertise and dedication shown this week across the board was very promising, especially from juniors, and will hopefully set the tone for a successful season from Year 7 to Firsts. The invaluable experience gained continues our growth as a formidable force on the water, and with new equipment and boats rounding out a fleet of twelve, High Sailing continues to leap from strength to strength. I look forward to seeing all sailors develop even further over the next few months, and thank all involved in the program for their continued support.

Alex De Araujo Sailing Captain









Cricket Results – 2017 Term 4 Week 4 Saturday 3 November 2017

Team	Score	Result	Highlights
1st XI	SBHS 4 – 81 vs Grammar	N/A	Jay Patel 43*
2 nd XI		N/A	
5 th XI		W/O	
16A		W/O	
16B		BYE	
15A		2 day game	
15B	SBHS 5 – 110 vs Scots	W/O	
14A	SBHS 10 - 217 v Grammar 2 - 15	N/A	Mithilesh Lekhi 76, Tarrant Williams 38
14B		W/O	
14C		W/O	
	W/O = Washed Out N/A = Not available due to two-day match		

Cricket Report

For 1st and 2nd XI GPS points ladder please go to: http://aagps.nsw.edu.au/summer-sports/cricket/

The second round of GPS commenced against Grammar this week with the first two-day match of the season.

Saturday saw rain-delayed matches and many washed out matches across the GPS. 1st Grade, playing at Grammar, didn't see play until 2:15 in the afternoon and were cut short by dangerous conditions by tea. After finally getting on, they stuck through some rain with the quick outfield aiding their efforts. With the score putting us slightly ahead, the boys will be looking to consolidate a big total to give our bowlers the best possible chance. Credits to Jay for having the pads on all-day and putting in a solid knock. Keep it going this week Jay! 2nd Grade were unfortunately unable to play and will contest a one-day match this week. On the nearby field, the 14As have got off to a flying start in their two-day match, putting on a massive total with Mithilesh scoring his second 50 of the season. They were able to take two quick wickets and

should be in the driver's seat this week. Keep working boys!

Shoutout of the Week:

Rayan Haque (7S)

Shoutout to Rayan for designing an original logo for the Cricket High Notes seen above and winning the prize! Congrats!

This week, we will be playing the second day against Grammar. Be sure to support the opens teams. Good luck to all and remember to play hard!

To all parents and players, don't forget to go through the points below:

- If the weather is inclement on a Saturday, you can find any changes to the fixtures on the SBHS website on the home page. No changes = game is definitely on.
- Please make sure that all the boys wear SBHS logo hats and tops.

- Make sure they drink plenty of water and carry a drink bottle with them to training and fixtures.
- For training sessions (outside of school hours) and Saturdays, parents are to email through the specific details of the absence, below. Please remember that all cricket games are important to attend each Saturday, otherwise you are letting your team down. 100% attendance record for cricket during the season equates to 5 more award scheme points for all the junior sides.
- Student Number
- Student name
- Sport
- Team
- Reason for absence
- Date/s for absence
- All absences will be noted on a Saturday.
- To keep a tally of absences
- Parents are to email the details to: absences.sport@sbhs.nsw.edu.au

David Smith – MIC Cricket Abhijot Singh – Cricket Prefect





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Week	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19 ***
6 C	Year 10 Yearly Exams P+C Executive Meeting, Board Room 17:30 P+C Annual General Meeting, Staff Common Room, 18:30 Online Selective Schools Application for Year 7 2019 close	Year 10 Yearly Exams School Council Meeting, Board Room, 17:30-19:00	Year 10 Yearly Exams	Year 10 Yearly Exams Drama: Year 10 performance, 19:00, room 204	Marching Band Rehearsal, MPW, 08:00-09:00 Excursion: German, German Concordia Club, , 11:30-15:00 (7Gm1, 7Gm2, 8Gm) Year 9 Peer mentoring Training: Junior library P1-3, selected Year 9 students Year 10 Yearly Exams AAGPS General Committee Meeting, 14:30	(SIRC) Parking: Sydney FC v Newcastle Jets, 19:50 OBU Event: 2012 Reunion,	Barberis Cup (Year 9 Cricket) Great Hall
	20 ***	21 ***	22 ***	23	24	25	26
7 A	Pre-service teacher meeting, staff common room, 11:10 Year 7 Meeting, Great Hall, 09:55-10:20 Year 10 Meeting, Great Hall, 12:40-13:05 Managing HSC Stress, The Great Hall, Year 11, P4-5 Stewart House Day Mufti/BBQ (Y7 community service) Barberis Cup (Year 9	Music Awards Assembly, Great Hall, 09:55-10:40 (8, 10, 11) Barberis Cup (Year 9 Cricket) Orientation Afternoon for Year 7 and other new students in 2018, 15:50-18:30 Excursion: Year 7 Chinese, Zilver restaurant and Chinese Garden of Friendship, 11:50-15:00	GPS Summer Sports Assembly (Basketball, Cricket, Swimming, Sailing, Tennis, Water Polo), Great Hall,	Year 11 Study Day Year 9 Meeting, Great Hall, 09:55-10:20 Rowing: Melbourne High Year 9 Exchange	French Excursion: Alliance francaise prize day, Year 9 French, 13:00-15:00 Marching Band Rehearsal, MPW, 08:00-09:00 Rowing: Melbourne High Year 9 Exchange Year 11 HSC Assessment Exams	Sport: Group 1 SHS v NC,	Room booking Rowing: Melbourne High Year 9 Exchange
	27	28	29	30	1	2	3 ***
8 B	Year 11 HSC Assessment Exams Excursion: Year 8 Chinese, The Eight Modern Chinese restaurant and Chinese Garden of Friendship, 11:50-15:15 Pre-service teacher meeting, staff common room, 11:10	Year 11 HSC Assessment Exams	Year 11 HSC Assessment Exams} {Senior Library Stocktake - Library closed}	Exams Class tests: 9Sc1, 9Sc2-P2, 9Sc3, 9Sc4, 9Sc6, 9Sc7-P3	Opening date for Awards Scheme 2018 Class test: 9Sc5-P2 Marching Band Rehearsal, MPW, 08:00-09:00 Year 11 HSC Assessment Exams Room booking Poetry Slam, room 204, lunch 1 and 2	Room booking Room booking Parking: Sia Concert, 19:00	Cricket: Five Highs, Sydney Room booking Jazz Workshop: 10:00-12:00 Jazz in the Courtyard, Rooms 101 + 201, 10:00-12:00, Great Hall, 10:00-12:00 Cricket: Five Highs Dinner,
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9 C	Pre-service teacher meeting, staff common room, 11:10 Peer Support Training, Great Hall, all day (Year 8) Cricket: Five Highs, Sydney P+C Thank You Party, Great Hall, 18:30-21:00 Visual Arts Exhibition, The Great Hall Basketball: National School Championships,	Cricket: Five Highs, Sydney Basketball: National School Championships, Melbourne (15s+Opens) Volleyball: Australian Volleyball Schools Cup (AVSC) Visual Arts Exhibition, The Great Hall Marching Band Rehearsal, Great Hall, 15:30-16:30	Year 9 Outdoor Education Camp (Morisset) Duke of Ed (Silver Hike) Visual Arts Exhibition, The Great Hall Rowing: Committee Meeting, Staff Common Room, 19:00 Cricket: Five Highs, Sydney Basketball: National School Championships, Melbourne (15s+Opens) Volleyball: Australian	Year 9 Outdoor Education Camp (Morisset) Duke of Ed (Silver Hike) Visual Arts Exhibition, The Great Hall Cricket: Five Highs, Sydney Basketball: National School Championships, Melbourne (15s+Opens) Volleyball: Australian Volleyball Schools Cup (AVSC)	Marching Band Rehearsal, MPW, 08:00-09:00 Year 9 Outdoor Education Camp (Morisset) Duke of Ed (Silver Hike) Visual Arts Exhibition, The Great Hall Cricket: Five Highs, Sydney Basketball: National School Championships, Melbourne (15s+Opens) Volleyball: Australian Volleyball Schools Cup	Great Hall Booking: Honeybees Room booking	Room booking Rifle: Luncheon, Great Hall, 09:00-16:00